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## **Advisory Announcement**

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## SITKA SOUND HERRING FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT-CORRECTION

The following corrects errors in the latitude of Povorotni Point and the latitude of Aspid Cape in the open area description of the Sitka Sound herring fishery announcement released yesterday, April 4, 2021, at approximately 4:06 p.m. The daily open periods remain unchanged.

The Sitka Sound herring sac roe fishery will be open from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. daily beginning on Monday, April 5, 2021, until closed by field or advisory announcement in the waters of Deep Inlet and Aleutkina Bay south of  $57^{\circ}00.81'$  N lat and east of  $135^{\circ}21.93'$  W long, and the waters south of the latitude of Povorotni Point at  $\underline{56^{\circ}57.13'}$  N lat and north of the latitude of Aspid Cape at  $5\underline{6}^{\circ}41.75'$  N lat, except for the waters of Whale and Necker Bays (Figure 1). Fishing boundaries and times may be modified by subsequent announcement.

Under Alaska's Health Advisories 1, 2, 3, and 4, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Advisories. COVID-19 Health Advisories may be found here: https://covid19.alaska.gov/health-advisories/.

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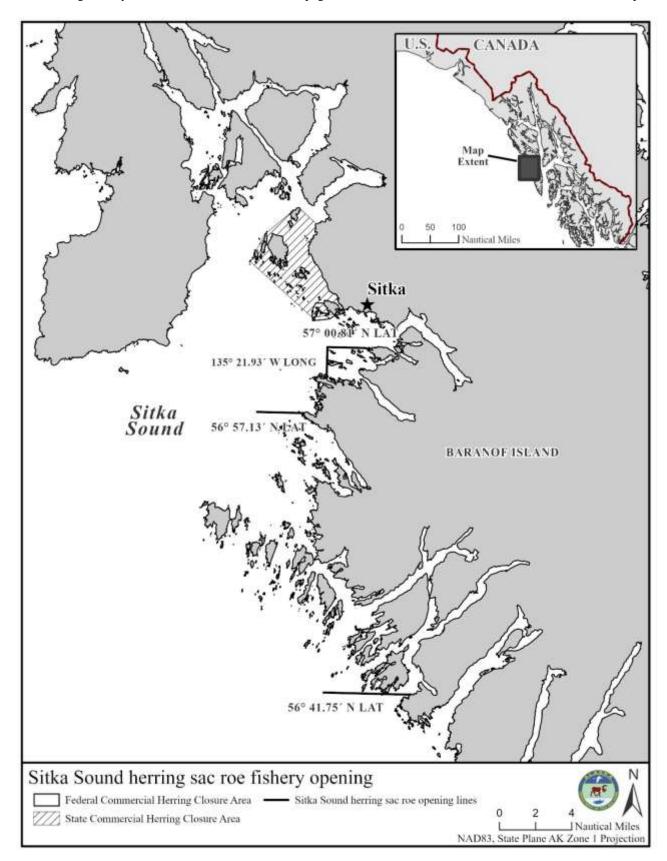


Figure 1.— Map of the area open for the Sitka Sound herring sac roe fishery beginning on April 5.